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Ms. Queen:

I would like to follow-up on a case that you helped me with several months ago.

On July 25, 2005, it was brought to our attention that a Notice of Allowance was issued on 09/07/2004. However, we did not receive that Notice because it was returned to the Patent Office by the U.S. Post Office, marked "Undeliverable". The case became abandoned because the issue fee had not been paid.

On July 25, 2005, you so kindly faxed me a copy of that Notice of Allowance. On Aug. 11, 2005, we filed a petition to withdraw from abandonment and paid the issue fee. When I looked on PAIR today, it indicates that the USPTO posted the Issue Fee on Aug. 15, 2005.

Can you tell me if this means that our petition was approved and that we will be receiving an Issue Notification?

Thank you for your assistance.



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